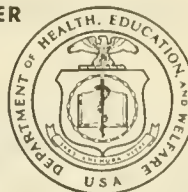


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## CURRENT TRENDS MEASLES - 1967

During the week ending March 18, 1967, 2,541 cases of measles were reported. This total does not include the report from Hawaii, which was delayed. Nineteen states reported 10 or fewer cases. Fifty percent of the total was reported by three states: California - 285; Texas - 693; Washington - 300. The epidemiologic curve for 1966-67 reached a plateau early in February which appears to be continuing (Figure 1). There is an absence of the usual increased incidence which in previous years occurred late in February or in early March.

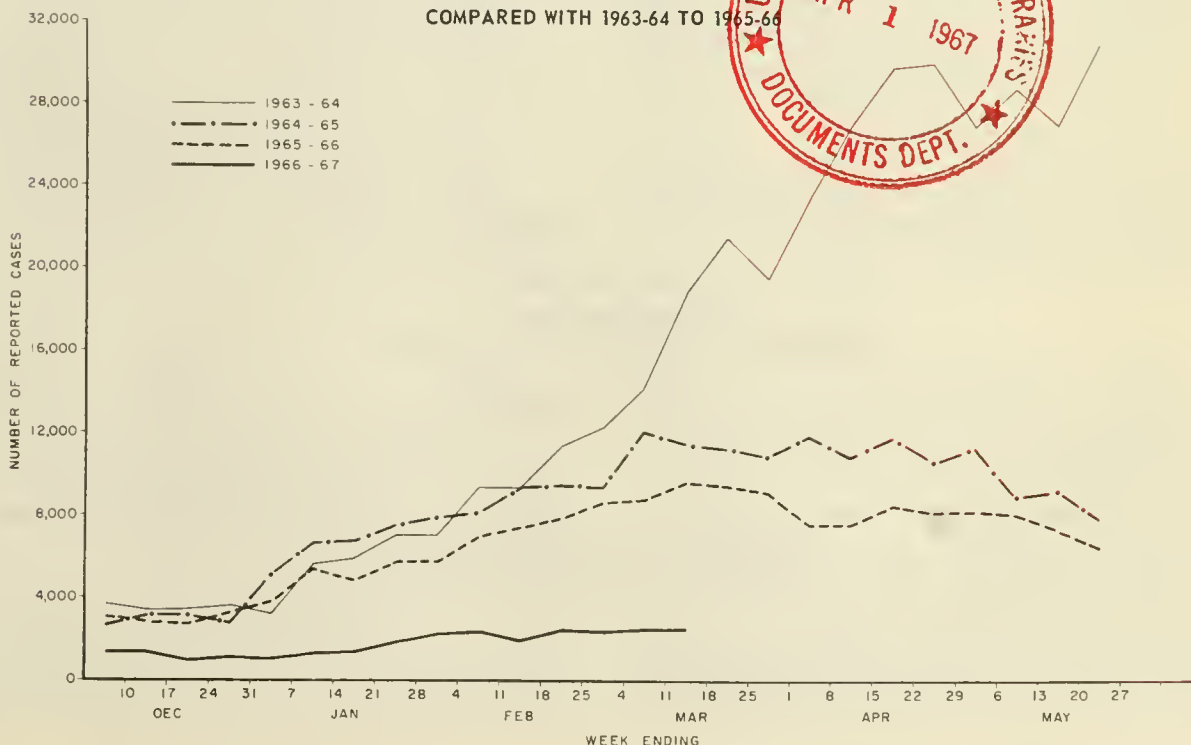
Since the beginning of the 1966-67 measles epidemiologic year (October 9, 1966), 35,287 cases have been re-

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ported in the United States. During this 23-week period, the states reporting the highest number of cases are Texas with 7,375 and Washington with 3,923. The combined total from these two states constitutes 32 percent of the national total. Table 1 shows the number of cases reported in the U.S. by 4-week intervals and the proportion reported from Texas and Washington. (Continued on page 86)

Figure 1  
REPORTED MEASLES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1966-67  
COMPARED WITH 1963-64 TO 1965-66



FOR WEEKS ENDED

MARCH 18, 1967 AND MARCH 19, 1966 (11th WEEK)

AREA	ASEPTIC MENINGITIS		BRUCELLOSIS	DIPHTHERIA	ENCEPHALITIS			HEPATITIS			
					Primary including unsp. cases	Post- Infectious	Serum		Infectious		
	1967	1966					1967	1966	1967	1966	
UNITED STATES...	40	40	4	-	23	37	25	36	23	814	724
NEW ENGLAND.....	-	1	-	-	1	3	1	-	1	33	13
Maine.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1
New Hampshire.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Vermont.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts.....	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	9	2
Rhode Island.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	9	3
Connecticut.....	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	11	6
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	4	2	-	-	4	14	3	26	14	134	111
New York City.....	2	1	-	-	2	7	-	24	12	45	29
New York, up-State..	1	1	-	-	1	4	1	-	1	31	33
New Jersey.....	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	2	1	22	16
Pennsylvania.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	36	33
EAST NORTH CENTRAL...	2	4	-	-	7	3	4	-	2	160	148
Ohio.....	1	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	2	43	38
Indiana.....	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	10	9
Illinois.....	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	52	17
Michigan.....	-	3	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	36	73
Wisconsin.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	11
WEST NORTH CENTRAL...	-	-	2	-	3	2	1	-	2	85	84
Minnesota.....	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	2	6	8
Iowa.....	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	16	16
Missouri.....	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	52	45
North Dakota.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
South Dakota.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1
Kansas.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	13
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	9	2	1	-	3	3	11	1	-	103	91
Delaware.....	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Maryland.....	1	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	25	17
Dist. of Columbia..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia.....	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	17	25
West Virginia.....	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	2
North Carolina.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	10	10
South Carolina.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1
Georgia.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	15
Florida.....	2	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	-	15	19
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...	5	5	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	34	58
Kentucky.....	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	32
Tennessee.....	1	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	11	14
Alabama.....	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	7
Mississippi.....	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	7	5
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...	4	10	-	-	2	1	1	1	1	72	56
Arkansas.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	4
Louisiana.....	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	17	6
Oklahoma.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	3
Texas.....	1	10	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	49	43
MOUNTAIN.....	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	34	16
Montana.....	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	1
Idaho.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
Wyoming.....	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Colorado.....	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	4
New Mexico.....	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8
Arizona.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2
Utah.....	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	6	1
Nevada.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
PACIFIC.....	16	14	1	-	2	6	2	8	3	159	147
Washington.....	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	20
Oregon.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	13	12
California.....	14	13	1	-	2	6	1	7	3	134	112
Alaska.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Hawaii.....	---	-	---	---	---	-	---	---	-	---	2
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	8

CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES  
FOR WEEKS ENDED  
MARCH 18, 1967 AND MARCH 19, 1966 (11th WEEK) - CONTINUED

AREA	MALARIA	MEASLES (Rubeola)			MENINGOCOCCAL INFECTIONS, TOTAL			POLIOMYELITIS			RUBELLA
	1967	1967	Cumulative		1967	Cumulative		Total	Paralytic		1967
			1967	1966		1967	1966	1967	1967	Cum. 1967	
UNITED STATES...	46	2,541	23,162	75,605	58	660	1,060	1	1	2	1,517
NEW ENGLAND.....	-	40	260	927	-	24	55	-	-	-	129
Maine.....	-	17	48	124	-	1	6	-	-	-	56
New Hampshire.....	-	7	61	12	-	1	7	-	-	-	1
Vermont.....	-	-	21	161	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts.....	-	12	83	327	-	12	21	-	-	-	25
Rhode Island.....	-	-	20	47	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Connecticut.....	-	4	27	256	-	10	15	-	-	-	43
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	3	65	746	10,190	5	83	115	-	-	1	62
New York City.....	-	8	119	5,061	1	15	20	-	-	1	26
New York, Up-State.....	-	11	169	1,148	3	25	24	-	-	-	35
New Jersey.....	-	25	188	1,086	1	32	38	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania.....	3	21	270	2,895	-	11	33	-	-	-	1
EAST NORTH CENTRAL...	1	272	1,973	30,286	6	61	157	-	-	-	203
Ohio.....	1	20	298	1,979	3	25	40	-	-	-	22
Indiana.....	-	24	226	1,941	-	5	20	-	-	-	24
Illinois.....	-	99	314	6,786	2	13	34	-	-	-	-
Michigan.....	-	58	432	4,500	1	13	49	-	-	-	61
Wisconsin.....	-	71	703	15,080	-	5	14	-	-	-	96
WEST NORTH CENTRAL...	-	142	1,082	3,416	1	31	54	-	-	-	107
Minnesota.....	-	4	46	1,021	-	5	10	-	-	-	1
Iowa.....	-	50	216	1,529	1	6	11	-	-	-	91
Missouri.....	-	8	29	224	-	9	20	-	-	-	1
North Dakota.....	-	73	452	604	-	-	3	-	-	-	14
South Dakota.....	-	3	38	2	-	4	1	-	-	-	-
Nebraska.....	-	4	301	36	-	6	3	-	-	-	-
Kansas.....	-	NN	NN	NN	-	1	6	-	-	-	-
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	27	260	2,437	5,669	22	135	177	-	-	-	155
Delaware.....	-	-	20	84	-	5	-	-	-	-	2
Maryland.....	4	10	49	1,000	4	18	18	-	-	-	44
Dist. of Columbia..	-	2	8	271	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Virginia.....	-	93	678	495	-	11	21	-	-	-	18
West Virginia.....	-	24	482	2,258	-	12	7	-	-	-	-
North Carolina.....	5	32	554	117	2	28	38	-	-	-	-
South Carolina.....	-	17	60	278	1	9	25	-	-	-	22
Georgia.....	18	-	9	126	15	28	29	-	-	-	-
Florida.....	-	82	577	1,040	-	24	37	-	-	-	69
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...	2	168	2,858	8,750	3	64	93	-	-	-	169
Kentucky.....	-	54	937	2,875	-	18	50	-	-	-	117
Tennessee.....	-	68	864	4,857	-	28	23	-	-	-	50
Alabama.....	2	40	601	680	2	11	15	-	-	-	2
Mississippi.....	-	6	456	338	1	7	5	-	-	-	-
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...	4	820	7,787	6,880	14	117	159	1	1	1	58
Arkansas.....	-	72	1,184	121	2	10	9	-	-	-	2
Louisiana.....	-	11	50	52	4	46	54	-	-	-	-
Oklahoma.....	4	44	1,438	131	2	7	5	-	-	-	-
Texas.....	-	693	5,115	6,576	6	54	91	1	1	1	56
MOUNTAIN.....	5	153	1,489	3,876	-	16	34	-	-	-	121
Montana.....	-	4	174	615	-	-	2	-	-	-	3
Idaho.....	-	26	159	485	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Wyoming.....	-	-	12	65	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Colorado.....	5	67	371	376	-	7	20	-	-	-	118
New Mexico.....	-	3	205	147	-	3	4	-	-	-	-
Arizona.....	-	26	319	2,067	-	2	5	-	-	-	-
Utah.....	-	6	85	114	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Nevada.....	-	21	164	7	-	2	1	-	-	-	-
PACIFIC.....	4	621	4,530	5,611	7	129	216	-	-	-	513
Washington.....	1	300	2,292	1,373	2	10	11	-	-	-	116
Oregon.....	-	36	522	463	-	10	8	-	-	-	49
California.....	3	285	1,606	3,716	5	107	185	-	-	-	347
Alaska.....	-	-	64	20	-	2	10	-	-	-	1
Hawaii.....	---	---	46	39	---	-	2	---	---	-	---
Puerto Rico.....	1	95	713	834	-	7	1	-	-	-	-

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CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES  
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AREA	STREPTOCOCCAL SORE THROAT & SCARLET FEVER	TETANUS		TULAREMIA		TYPHOID		TYPHUS FEVER TICK-BORNE (Rky. Mt. Spotted)		RABIES IN ANIMALS	
	1967	1967	Cum. 1967	1967	Cum. 1967	1967	Cum. 1967	1967	Cum. 1967	1967	Cum. 1967
UNITED STATES...	13,231	3	32	2	24	1	56	-	7	83	861
NEW ENGLAND.....	1,966	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	16
Maine.....	119	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
New Hampshire.....	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6
Vermont.....	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6
Massachusetts.....	210	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rhode Island.....	152	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Connecticut.....	1,427	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	720	1	4	-	-	1	9	-	-	-	17
New York City.....	34	-	2	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-
New York, Up-State.	576	1	1	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	10
New Jersey.....	NN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania.....	110	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	7
EAST NORTH CENTRAL...	1,688	-	2	-	4	-	3	-	1	1	57
Ohio.....	132	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	25
Indiana.....	325	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	15
Illinois.....	487	-	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	9
Michigan.....	465	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Wisconsin.....	279	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	7
WEST NORTH CENTRAL...	856	-	1	-	7	-	2	-	-	10	194
Minnesota.....	21	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	48
Iowa.....	416	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	18
Missouri.....	51	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	2	43
North Dakota.....	302	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	41
South Dakota.....	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23
Nebraska.....	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Kansas.....	33	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	13
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	1,368	1	6	-	4	-	5	-	4	11	108
Delaware.....	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maryland.....	248	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dist. of Columbia..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia.....	458	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	6	55
West Virginia.....	365	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	3	18
North Carolina.....	29	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	1
South Carolina.....	20	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia.....	15	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	21
Florida.....	216	1	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	13
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...	1,578	-	9	-	2	-	8	-	1	26	236
Kentucky.....	229	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	4	44
Tennessee.....	1,215	-	5	-	2	-	1	-	1	19	183
Alabama.....	99	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	8
Mississippi.....	35	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...	1,213	1	4	2	3	-	16	-	-	25	162
Arkansas.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	4	32
Louisiana.....	7	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	3	18
Oklahoma.....	80	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	8	33
Texas.....	1,126	1	4	-	-	-	2	-	-	10	79
MOUNTAIN.....	2,092	-	-	-	4	-	3	-	-	-	15
Montana.....	114	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Idaho.....	207	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming.....	98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colorado.....	1,312	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
New Mexico.....	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Arizona.....	220	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	10
Utah.....	117	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nevada.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PACIFIC.....	1,750	-	6	-	-	-	10	-	1	6	56
Washington.....	312	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oregon.....	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
California.....	1,350	-	5	-	-	-	9	-	1	6	55
Alaska.....	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii.....	---	---	1	---	-	---	1	---	-	---	-
Puerto Rico.....	9	-	2	-	-	1	4	-	-	1	6

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## DEATHS IN 122 UNITED STATES CITIES FOR WEEK ENDED MARCH 18, 1967

(By place of occurrence and week of filing certificate. Excludes fetal deaths)

Area	All Causes		Pneumonia and Influenza All Ages	Under 1 year All Causes	Area	All Causes		Pneumonia and Influenza All Ages	Under 1 year All Causes
	All Ages	65 years and over				All Ages	65 years and over		
NEW ENGLAND:	730	445	51	24	SOUTH ATLANTIC:	1,209	697	63	75
Boston, Mass.-----	198	102	14	4	Atlanta, Ga.-----	133	66	1	10
Bridgeport, Conn.-----	51	32	4	3	Baltimore, Md.-----	269	148	8	19
Cambridge, Mass.-----	28	18	-	1	Charlotte, N. C.-----	41	25	2	2
Fall River, Mass.-----	31	21	1	1	Jacksonville, Fla.-----	71	41	4	1
Hartford, Conn.-----	56	32	2	4	Miami, Fla.-----	90	61	1	2
Lowell, Mass.-----	37	26	4	-	Norfolk, Va.-----	74	45	16	5
Lynn, Mass.-----	33	23	1	2	Richmond, Va.-----	83	50	7	8
New Bedford, Mass.-----	31	17	-	1	Savannah, Ga.-----	39	13	5	3
New Haven, Conn.-----	50	32	3	1	St. Petersburg, Fla.-----	105	79	5	-
Providence, R. I.-----	92	59	4	3	Tampa, Fla.-----	56	42	7	1
Somerville, Mass.-----	12	11	1	1	Washington, O. C.-----	195	92	5	21
Springfield, Mass.-----	30	17	4	-	Wilmington, Del.-----	53	35	2	3
Waterbury, Conn.-----	24	16	1	2	EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:	710	391	32	33
Worcester, Mass.-----	57	39	12	1	Birmingham, Ala.-----	97	50	-	2
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:	3,482	2,139	159	147	Chattanooga, Tenn.-----	46	21	2	4
Albany, N. Y.-----	60	32	3	2	Knoxville, Tenn.-----	53	34	5	2
Allentown, Pa.-----	45	33	3	1	Louisville, Ky.-----	141	79	11	6
Buffalo, N. Y.-----	160	98	4	7	Memphis, Tenn.-----	153	79	4	5
Camden, N. J.-----	50	22	3	3	Mobile, Ala.-----	55	24	-	6
Elizabeth, N. J.-----	27	20	-	1	Montgomery, Ala.-----	32	25	5	2
Erie, Pa.-----	41	32	4	-	Nashville, Tenn.-----	133	79	5	6
Jersey City, N. J.-----	48	26	3	4	WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:	1,138	599	50	77
Newark, N. J.-----	98	36	2	14	Austin, Tex.-----	42	19	2	-
New York City, N. Y.-----	1,778	1,093	71	69	Baton Rouge, La.-----	16	6	-	-
Paterson, N. J.-----	34	25	5	2	Corpus Christi, Tex.-----	38	15	1	2
Philadelphia, Pa.-----	548	354	27	16	Oallas, Tex.-----	151	73	5	13
Pittsburgh, Pa.-----	221	127	2	11	El Paso, Tex.-----	43	21	4	2
Reading, Pa.-----	58	42	4	4	Fort Worth, Tex.-----	77	53	-	4
Rochester, N. Y.-----	98	64	14	1	Houston, Tex.-----	194	86	6	15
Schenectady, N. Y.-----	20	9	-	2	Little Rock, Ark.-----	62	27	4	6
Scranton, Pa.-----	40	28	5	1	New Orleans, La.-----	158	79	6	12
Syracuse, N. Y.-----	50	31	2	5	Oklahoma City, Okla.-----	94	54	2	8
Trenton, N. J.-----	45	24	3	2	San Antonio, Tex.-----	134	88	6	7
Utica, N. Y.-----	26	22	2	-	Shreveport, La.-----	62	42	3	1
Yonkers, N. Y.-----	35	21	2	2	Tulsa, Okla.-----	67	36	11	7
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:	2,732	1,548	93	145	MOUNTAIN:	414	238	14	15
Akron, Ohio-----	72	44	-	4	Albuquerque, N. Mex.-----	43	22	4	2
Canton, Ohio-----	34	22	1	4	Colorado Springs, Colo.-----	18	11	-	1
Chicago, Ill.-----	780	419	28	35	Denver, Colo.-----	91	55	3	2
Cincinnati, Ohio-----	194	120	7	9	Ogden, Utah-----	22	14	2	1
Cleveland, Ohio-----	223	122	5	13	Phoenix, Ariz.-----	114	61	2	5
Columbus, Ohio-----	135	70	2	10	Pueblo, Colo.-----	32	23	1	1
Dayton, Ohio-----	61	31	2	1	Salt Lake City, Utah-----	48	29	-	3
Detroit, Mich.-----	371	203	8	15	Tucson, Ariz.-----	46	23	2	-
Evansville, Ind.-----	40	29	2	-	PACIFIC:	1,658	998	41	74
Flint, Mich.-----	45	23	2	4	Berkeley, Calif.-----	22	18	2	-
Fort Wayne, Ind.-----	52	30	2	4	Fresno, Calif.-----	60	35	2	3
Gary, Ind.-----	36	17	3	3	Glendale, Calif.-----	32	22	-	1
Grand Rapids, Mich.-----	47	29	4	2	Honolulu, Hawaii-----	40	17	1	4
Indianapolis, Ind.-----	169	99	6	10	Long Beach, Calif.-----	81	53	3	5
Madison, Wis.-----	36	18	-	4	Los Angeles, Calif.-----	492	279	15	23
Milwaukee, Wis.-----	138	83	4	6	Oakland, Calif.-----	103	64	3	6
Peoria, Ill.-----	34	24	-	5	Pasadena, Calif.-----	41	28	-	2
Rockford, Ill.-----	31	16	4	2	Portland, Oreg.-----	142	88	2	8
South Bend, Ind.-----	39	25	2	2	Sacramento, Calif.-----	67	41	1	2
Toledo, Ohio-----	137	89	9	5	San Diego, Calif.-----	92	56	3	3
Youngstown, Ohio-----	58	35	2	7	San Francisco, Calif.-----	197	113	2	5
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:	885	555	27	40	San Jose, Calif.-----	47	34	4	1
Des Moines, Iowa-----	64	36	-	4	Seattle, Wash.-----	165	98	3	10
Duluth, Minn.-----	21	13	-	1	Spokane, Wash.-----	44	30	-	-
Kansas City, Kans.-----	50	35	7	5	Tacoma, Wash.-----	33	22	-	1
Kansas City, Mo.-----	128	79	1	4	Total	12,958	7,610	530	630
Lincoln, Nebr.-----	26	18	1	-	Cumulative Totals				
Minneapolis, Minn.-----	105	65	4	7	including reported corrections for previous weeks				
Omaha, Nebr.-----	93	65	-	3	All Causes, All Ages -----	144,427			
St. Louis, Mo.-----	273	156	7	9	All Causes, Age 65 and over-----	83,635			
St. Paul, Minn.-----	65	48	2	3	Pneumonia and Influenza, All Ages-----	5,924			
Wichita, Kans.-----	60	40	5	4	All Causes, Under 1 Year of Age-----	7,318			

\*Estimate - based on average percent of divisional total.





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### Page 1 — paragraph 1, delete first sentence and insert:

In the United States the current form issued in PHS-731, Revised 9/66. Smallpox vaccinations performed after December 31, 1966 must be recorded on this form. Vaccination certificates issued prior to this date remain valid until the expiration date of the certificate in question.

### Page 13 — Typhoid Fever

#### Delete all information and insert:

Vaccination is advised for all travelers except for infants under 6 months of age. Immunization: The vaccine is given in two inoculations, at least 4 weeks apart. Under conditions of continued or repeated exposure, a booster dose should be given at least every 3 years. The original series of inoculations need not be repeated at any time.

All references to paratyphoid in booklet PHS-354 should be deleted.

### Page 14 — Tetanus

#### Delete all information and insert:

Vaccination against tetanus is needed both at home and for travel abroad. Immunization: Since tetanus toxoid is generally combined with diphtheria toxoid in the United States, the section on diphtheria describes the recommended schedule. Whenever a tetanus booster is given after an injury, the time for the next tetanus immunization is measured from that date.

### Page 14 — Diphtheria

#### Delete all information and insert:

Diphtheria is more prevalent in many foreign countries than in the United States. Infants and preschool children through 6 years of age should receive diphtheria toxoid in combination with tetanus and whooping cough antigens (DTP). Immunization: Three doses to 4- to 6-week intervals are needed for children between the ages of 2 months and 6 years. A reinforcing dose should be given about one year after the third injection. Another single dose should be given when a child enters school, kindergarten or nursery school. Thereafter, booster doses of combined tetanus and diphtheria toxoids (Td) are recommended at 10-year intervals. Children over age 6 and adults receiving their first diphtheria immunization should be given the adult combination of tetanus and diphtheria toxoids. Two doses, 4 to 6 weeks apart, are followed by a third dose about one year later. Booster doses are given at 10-year intervals.

### Page 15 — Plague

Last paragraph, delete "The complete standard course need not be repeated at any time." Insert: Persons who have been vaccinated previously and who now need this vaccination for international travel should receive two injections of the vaccine spaced at 30-day intervals.

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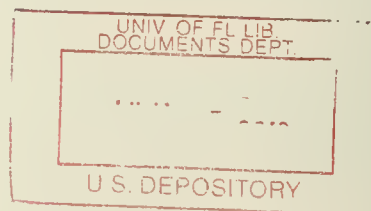
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